Date: August 18, 2008

## CANNED MEAT, ANNOUNCEMENT LS-128, INVITATION NO. 017:

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers pursuant to ANNOUNCEMENT LS-128 to sell canned beef and pork products for use by recipients in Federal food and nutrition programs. Purchases will be made on an f.o.b. destination basis to cities indicated below. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings and changes in recipient needs and program operations.

All offers must be in the format prescribed in LS-128 and must be received by 1:30 p.m., CENTRAL TIME, Friday, August 22, 2008. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, August 29, 2008. Shipments must be made in two periods between November 16 and December 15, 2008.

Bids MUST BE submitted electronically via the internet. Offerors must be assigned a Logon ID by USDA to access the site. The internet address is: <a href="https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc100.exe">https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc100.exe</a>? Once connected, follow the online procedures. A "HELP" button provides detailed instructions or call 202-720-2650 for assistance.

Inquiries about ANNOUNCEMENT LS-128 or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer; Livestock and Seed Program; USDA, AMS, Stop 0253, Room 2610-South; 1400 Independence Avenue, SW; Washington, D.C. 20250-0253. Telephone: 202/720-2650. FAX: 202/720-9538.

ANNOUNCEMENT : LS128 INVITATION : 017

COMM GROUP : 24 MEAT, MISC PRODUCTS

COMM TYPE : 15 BEEF, CANNED PACK SIZE : 25 24/24 OZ CAN

ITEM DESTINATION TRANS QUANTITY NO CITY ST RESTR (LBS)

SHIPPING PERIOD 11/16/08 - 11/30/08

001 JACKSONVILE/FAS FL TRUCK ONLY 72,000 PUERTO RICO

SHIPPING PERIOD 12/01/08 - 12/15/08

002 JACKSONVILE/FAS FL TRUCK ONLY 72,000 PUERTO RICO

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 144,000

COMM TYPE : 60 PORK, CANNED PACK SIZE : 25 24/24 OZ CAN

ITEM DESTINATION TRANS QUANTITY NO CITY ST RESTR (LBS)

SHIPPING PERIOD 11/16/08 - 11/30/08

003 JACKSONVILE/FAS FL TRUCK ONLY 72,000 PUERTO RICO

004 DARIEN WI 14,076 EAU CLAIRE WI 21,924

SHIPPING PERIOD 12/01/08 - 12/15/08

005 JACKSONVILE/FAS FL TRUCK ONLY 72,000 PUERTO RICO

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 180,000

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR INVITATION 324,000

/S/ Duane Williams\_\_\_\_\_

Duane Williams Contracting Officer

Livestock and Seed Program

An electronic version of this invitation can be obtained via the World Wide Web at: <a href="http://www.ams.usda.gov/LSCP">http://www.ams.usda.gov/LSCP</a>

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